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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Brian S. Doyle, et al.

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MECHANICAL STRESS TO  
CONTROL SHORT CHANNEL  
EFFECTS

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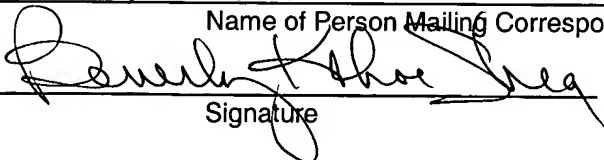
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